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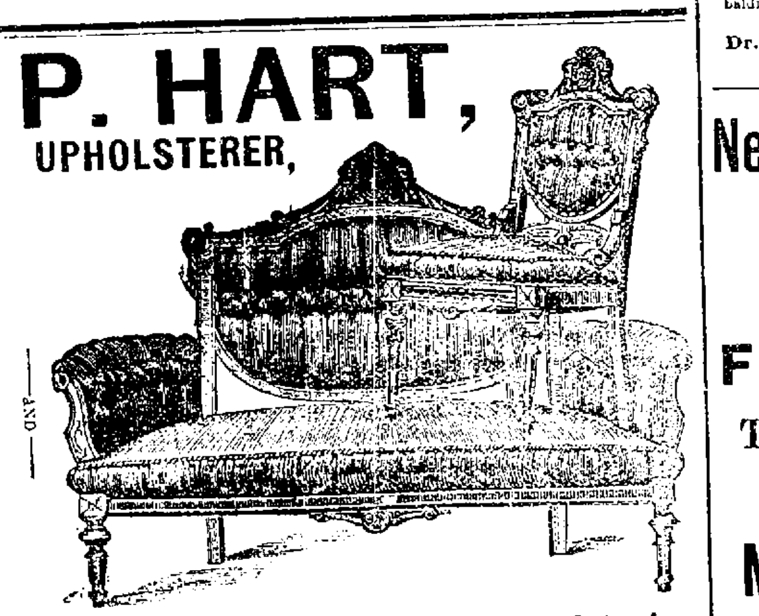

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Jan30-d&wly

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For Weakness, Lassitude, Lack of Energy, &c., it HAS NO EQUAL, and is the only Iron medicine that is not injurious. It Enriches the Blood, Invigorates the System, Restores Appetite, Aids Digestion.

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Contains no deleterious ingredients. Its use prevents all scalp disease, secures against the hair growing thin or gray, and surely cures all baldness that is not organic.

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Ordinary Rubber Boots always wear out first on the ball. The CANDEE Boots are *double thick* on the ball, and give DOUBLE WEAR.

Most economical Rubber Boot in the market. Lasts longer than any other boot and the PRICE NO HIGHER.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
May 26-d&w6m

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Nearly forty-nine thousand dollars are on deposit in the savings banks of New Hampshire.

—Paper plates for bread, butter, cake, etc., have been introduced at the Berlin hotels. They are in papier mache, with gray-colored borders in relief.

—The cities of marvelous growth are not all in the West. Baku, a Russian town on the Caspian, had twelve thousand inhabitants in 1873 and fifty-eight thousand in 1883.

—The Mexican stage coach always has two drivers—one to hold the reins and the other to do the whipping. The latter carries a bag of stones to throw at the leaders.—*St. Louis Globe.*

—A New Hampshire court has lately decided that a physician's horse and buggy are "tools," and as such are exempt from seizure for debt when they are necessary to enable him to practice his profession with reasonable success.

—In the language of flowers a moss rosebud is a confession of love; a red rosebud implies that the giver considers the recipient young and beautiful; and if she returns a white rosebud she declares that she is too young to love.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Small-pox was accurately described by Rhazes, an Arabian physician, about 900 A. D. It is supposed to have been introduced into Europe by the Saracens, and it was spread widely among the Indians by the early explorers of America.

—A man claiming to be a scientist wants some one to bore the earth to prevent its bursting. We have a friend who we think would be able to do it. Up to this time he has devoted all his boring energies to us, and we would be glad to see him try it on the rest of the earth.—*Boston Post.*

—Mr. F. W. Clark has exhibited in London a new system of gas lighting for private houses by means of recuperative lamps. By a ventilating arrangement the lamps consume their own smoke, and the burners are so formed that the requisite air is heated to a high temperature and admitted into the lamps at the point of ignition.

—The University of Virginia has recently come into the possession of one of the original printed copies of the first Constitution of Virginia, adopted June 29, 1776. The paper is a supplement to the Virginia *Gazette*, then printed at Williamsburg. The preamble is from the pen of Mr. Jefferson, while the Constitution is the work of Mr. George Mason.

—Last year's income of the Girard estate in Philadelphia was nine hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Its real estate alone is valued at seven million three hundred and forty-six thousand dollars, besides the college buildings and grounds. The collieries of the estate produce one million four hundred thousand tons of coal during the year.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—The oldest house in Oregon is four hundred and sixty-five years old. About the time that John Hancock and those other three or four forefathers were signing the Declaration of Independence, says the *Astorian*, the top of this house, which was then a tree, blew or broke off. Its present occupant, a few years ago, dug around the stump, trimmed it out, cut a door and window, and made a habitable room about nine by ten feet "that beats nothing all to pieces."

—A special committee on railroad axles have by a majority reported that iron axles are safer than steel axles, that all cranks should have the webs hooped, that the iron cranks appear to fail after running about two hundred thousand miles and steel after a hundred and seventy thousand miles; it is highly desirable that they should be taken off and never again used in passenger engines, and that crank axles properly constructed are as strong as straight axles.—*Chicago Journal.*

—In the number of hands employed in manufacturing establishments, amount of wages paid and total value of products, New York stands one, Philadelphia two and Chicago three. The remainder of the twenty great manufacturing cities, according to the 1880 census, are in the order named: Brooklyn, Boston, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, San Francisco, Newark, Jersey City, Cleveland, Buffalo, Providence, Milwaukee, Louisville, Detroit, New Orleans and Washington.—*N. Y. Times.*

—In nearly all the Southern cities the authorities are pulling down the bill-boards, and soon "paper on the wall," will be a thing of the past. The Charleston *News and Courier* gives expression on the question: "The abolition of this mode of advertising, in other places as well as Savannah, would not only prevent the exhibition of the offensive pictures so frequently to be seen in cities and towns, but would prevent the public from being deceived by unscrupulous exhibitors."—*Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.*

—Stove polish is made from plumbago, some of the richest mines of which are in Guaymas, Mexico. The plumbago comes from the mines in sacks weighing one hundred and fifty pounds each. It is then crushed and separated by the use of huge pans, the coarse quality being sent through the crusher again, and only the very fine going into the bins to be mixed with oils and made into stove polish. A factory with a capacity of a ton of blacking per day has just been started in San Francisco, the first and only one on the Pacific Coast.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—A citizen of Utica, N. Y., believes that he has discovered the lost secret of making violins that probably originated in England in the twelfth century, and which has immortalized the names of Amatis at Brescha, Stradivari and the Guarneris at Cremona, and Steiner in the Tyrol. He has made sixteen violins and over two hundred experiments, and can now construct a violin with the tones of a flute or any other that may be desired. He discards all former theories that attribute the excellence of old instruments to the lacquer, varnish, singing wood, etc., and finds that scientific principles and sound wood are the basis of all perfect instruments.—*Buffalo Express.*

The Homeliest Man in Decatur,

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, No. 14 south side new square, and get *free* a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits, and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.
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THE WILSON BROS. WHITE DRESS SHIRTS EXCEL ANY AND ALL OTHER MAKES.

Men who wear them say so, and tell their friends.

The manufacture of these shirts is by no means an experiment, no flaring advertisement being necessary to introduce them. Their merits have earned them their reputation.

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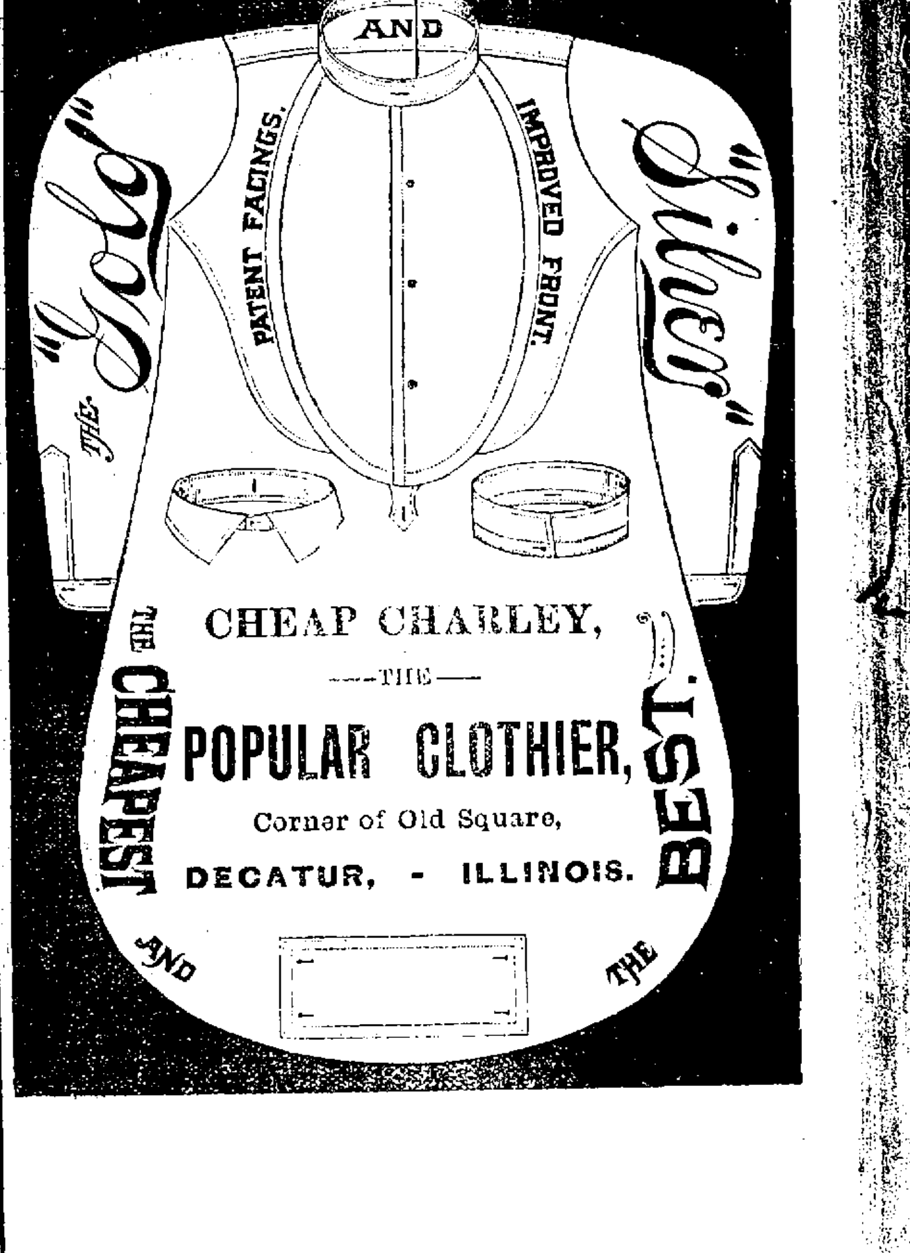


New Furniture Store.

J. W. BARBER,
THE OLD DAIRYMAN,

Has opened a new furniture store at 249 East Main Street, where the swinging sign of "Furniture Exchange" will be seen. I shall keep a full line of House Furnishing Goods, such as

FURNITURE, STOVES AND TINWARE,

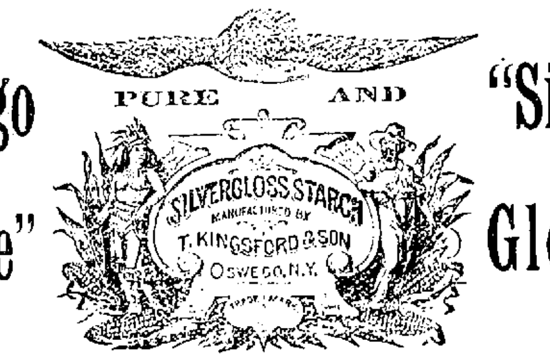
all first class and the latest designs. Having bought my goods for cash I am prepared to sell as cheap as the cheapest. Any one wanting goods in my line should not fail to call and see my goods and get my prices before buying elsewhere. I will also pay cash, or exchange new goods, for Second-hand goods.

Having employed Thos. J. Hughes, an old and experienced man in furniture, I shall continue to run my dairy as usual.

J. W. BARBER.
July 8-dtf 249 East Main Street.

The Standard of Excellence KINGSFORD'S

Oswego PURE AND "Silver "Pure" Gloss"



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ALWAYS ASK YOUR GROCER FOR THESE GOODS.

From Pole to Pole

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA has demonstrated its power of cure for all diseases of the blood.

The Harpooner's Story.
New Bedford, June 1, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & Co.—Twenty years ago I was a harpooner in the North Pacific, when five others of the crew and myself were laid up with scurvy. Our bodies were bloated, gums swollen and bleeding, teeth loose, purple blotches all over us, and our breath seemed rotten. Take it by and large we were pretty badly off. All our lime-juice was accidentally destroyed, but the captain had a couple dozen bottles of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA and gave us that. We recovered on it quicker than I have ever seen men brought about by any other treatment for Scurvy, and I've seen a good deal of it. Seeing no mention in your Almanac of your Sarsaparilla being good for scurvy, I thought you ought to know of this, and so send you the facts.

Respectfully yours, RALPH V. WINGATE.

The Trooper's Experience.
Mafeking, Bechuanaland (S. Africa,) March 7, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & Co.—Gentlemen: I have much pleasure to testify to the great value of your Sarsaparilla. We have been stationed here for over two years, during which time we had to live in tents. Being under canvas for such a time brought on what is called in this country "veldt-sores." I had those sores for some time. I was advised to take your Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which made my sores disappear rapidly, and I am now quite well.

Yours truly, T. E. BODEN,
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Is the only thoroughly effective blood-purifier, the only medicine that eradicates the poisons of Scrofula, Mercury, and Contagious Disease from the system.

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AT THE OLD STAND,

Where will always be found a full assortment of the best of

FRESH AND CURED MEATS,
Beef, Mutton, Veal,
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None but the BEST STOCK slaughtered. Everything neat and first class.

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June 1-dtf

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
March 9, 1883—dtf

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Schubach & Simmette,
Successors to Leiby Bros.,
Fancy Bakers,
129 East Main Street.

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Vienna Bread,
Rolls, Buns,
Fancy Cakes,
Pies, Etc.,

and guarantee to give complete satisfaction. Bread delivered to all parts of the city early every day. Give us a call.
SCHUBACH & SIMMETTE.
June 29—dtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }
Macon County Circuit Court.

William Taylor vs. Jessie L. Platt, Charles O. Platt, Berry Scruggs and the Decatur National Bank.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the May Term, A. D. 1885, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Monday, the 7th day of September, A. D. 1885,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot Number Seven (7) in E. O. Smith's Resurvey of Block Fourteen (14) in Western Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Aug. 7th, 1885.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
OUTTEN & VAIL, Sol's. for Compl't.
Aug7-d4w

LAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY.

July 11-dow

ICE! ICE!

Pure, Crystal Ice,

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TELEPHONE 176, or 121.
April 3-d6m T. L. ANTRIM.

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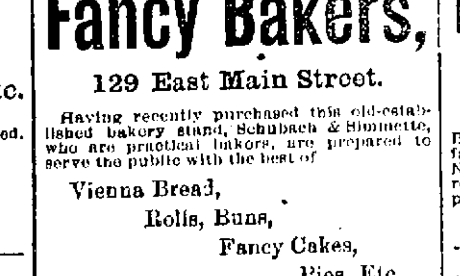

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WEDNESDAY EVE., AUG 19, 1885

ESTIMATES place the corn crop of Illinois this year at 160,000,000 bushels.

AN unusual incident of the funeral of the late Hon. Francis Jordan, of Philadelphia, was the fact that his six sons officiated as pall-bearers.

THE iron trade in Pennsylvania seems to be looking up. Mill owners are advancing the wages of their operatives, in some cases as much as 20 per cent., and report largely increased orders.

YOUR Iowa copperhead is about the meanest of his class; a few days ago a little gang of that sort, at Wirt, in Ringgold county, gave expression to their contempt for Gen. Grant by burning him in effigy.

JOHN MCCULLOUGH, the actor, who is now an inmate of the Bloomingdale Insane Asylum, is reported as gradually losing all recollection of his old days on the stage, and is thought to be failing physically as well as mentally. His physicians do not think he will live more than a year.

THE hungry Democratic office hunters throughout the country are beginning to grow restive over the absence of the president from Washington. They cannot see what business a Democratic chief executive has away from his work so long as there remain Republican heads to chop off.

IT does not seem to occur to Vice President Hendricks that the country at large cares but little what his opinions are on current political subjects, and he goes on denying the authenticity of certain alleged interviews, just as though he was something more than a respectable sort of figurehead in the administration.

HON. MALCOLM HAY, who was the first assistant postmaster general of the present administration, and who resigned on account of ill health, is now reported so low that his death is looked for in a few days. He is at Cresson, Pa., a summer resort on the summit of the Allegheny mountains.

MOST stories told of the trials and troubles of our bachelor president in the Adirondacks had better be left unsaid. The latest one is to the effect that his excellency raised a great fuss one night over a mistake made by one of the party in putting the can containing the worms for bait in the place where a can of another sort usually stood, near the president's bed. It is not well to thus reveal the foibles of a great man.

THE New York *Tribune* has this to say: "For ten years the American mails have been carried to the South Seas under the American flag, and a valuable export trade with Australia has been developed. The Democratic Administration has only been in office a few months, but that flag is to be hauled down and that commerce broken up. The mails to Australia are to be carried under the British flag, and the Postmaster-General does not consider it of the slightest importance whether the American steamers are taken off the line or not. As for the mails for Japan and China, he hopes to send them under the British flag by way of the Suez Canal without serious delay. It will not take long at this rate to drive the American flag from the seas."

THE Chicago *Times* calls attention to the fact that while the deaths from cholera in Spain have already reached 67,000, this frightful sum total is not the largest scored by cholera in its various visitations to Europe. In 1852, the year that the Asiatic plague extended its journey across the Atlantic to the new world, France alone lost 120,000 people during the year; and to this number, within eighteen days, Paris alone contributed over 7,000. Spain has hitherto, in the movements of cholera over Europe, enjoyed a remarkable immunity, while on the other hand, France has been an exceptional sufferer. Cholera has again and again visited France without entering other countries. The epidemic of 1832 pursued, as it were, the French wherever they could be found. In Montreal over 4,000 people died; and Detroit, then largely a French settlement, and Quebec, also French, were terribly stricken by the plague. In 1853 cholera prevailed almost everywhere; France lost 114,000 and England only 16,000. In 1883 the cholera broke out in Damietta, and in due season reached France, where in Toulon and Marseilles it destroyed some 3,500 lives without extending to any other part of Europe, except a couple of towns in Italy.

WITHIN twelve hours three brothers named Truby met violent deaths at or near Martin's Valley, Pa. One fell into a cattle-guard and broke his neck, another was drowned in a quarry-pit, and the third was suffocated in a grain-bin. The news has so affected the widowed and now childless mother that she also is expected to die.

BY TELEGRAPH

CALLED OUT.

The Expected Order Inaugurating a General Railroad Strike Issued.

Preamble and Resolutions Passed By the Executive Board of the Knights of Labor of North America.

The Strike of the Members of the Order General West of the Mississippi.

ST. LOUIS, MO., August 19.—An order was issued at two o'clock yesterday afternoon by the Executive Board of the Knights of Labor of North America, calling on all Knights of Labor employed on railroads west of the Mississippi River to quit work. The order affects not only the Gould lines but every road west of the Mississippi River on which there is a member of the organization employed. The Union Pacific has a large number of these men working for it. The organization on that road is complete. The Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain and, in fact, all of the Western and Southwestern roads employ large numbers of Knights.

The strikers claim that they delayed action as long as there was any hope of securing a conference with A. A. Talmage. They regret the necessity for such action, but claim that their rights were in danger and it was a necessary measure of self-defense.

A meeting of the two committees representing the locked out Knights of Labor on the Wabash Road and the Knights of Labor on the Gould system, and the Executive Board of the National organization, was held yesterday morning. In the absence of Mr. Powderly, Chairman of the Executive Board, J. A. Buchanan, acting Chairman of the Board, presided over the deliberations. The following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The Wabash, St Louis & Pacific Railway Company has declared war against the Knights of Labor,

1. By refusing them work in the shops of said company without them signing away their rights and locking them out of said shops, and,

2. By instigating a series of outrages upon members of the order by United States Marshals, causing them to be arrested without warrant at the muzzle of a revolver, manacled like felons and incarcerated in filthy dungeons, so loathsome as to impair the health of the imprisoned brothers, all for the purpose of creating the false impression upon the public that they were felons, outlaws and dynamiters, and,

WHEREAS, The United States Court has allowed itself to be used as a tool for said company to deprive American citizens of the right of free speech, thus outraging the fundamental principles of our Republican Government, therefore be it

Resolved, By this body of Knights of Labor, representing the entire order in North America, that we request Mayor Wm. Warner of Kansas City, Mo., and General J. M. Palmer, of Springfield, Ill., to defend our persecuted brothers in their respective States and to bring action for conspiracy against their persecutors in the railway company. Also to prepare articles of impeachment against Judges Treat, Brewer and Krekel for malfeasance in office and for high treason to the American people.

Resolved, That we heartily commend Hon. Wm. Warner, of Kansas City, and Hon. J. M. Palmer, of Springfield, Ill., for their manly and gratuitous defense of our brothers in distress.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the gentlemen above named and to the public press.

T. J. Russell, a member of the committee representing the Knights employed on the Gould system of railroads, said to a reporter yesterday morning, explaining the situation:

"The order calling out the Knights of the Wabash Road was merely preliminary to a more general order, which I think will follow soon."

"How soon?"

"Well, I can't say. It may be to-day and it may not be for several days; no definite time can be set. The three committees are all here yet, awaiting telegrams from different central points throughout the West as to the effect of the Wabash order, the sentiment of the great mass of the Knights, and other important matters, before extreme measures will be resorted to. A telegram may be received at any moment which will precipitate matters."

"What is the nature of it?"

"I don't care to say just at present. When it arrives a meeting will be called of the three committees at either the Planters' House or the Hotel Brown, and our future course decided upon. The only immediate effect of yesterday's order was to call out the Knights employed in the Wabash shops at Stanberry, Mo., numbering in the neighborhood of seventy men. You see all of the Knights on the road, saving these men at Stanberry, were already out by the action of the district divisions of the organization to which they belong. At Stanberry there is no district division and the men there were only subject to the orders of the National Committee. We have not heard yet, but expect a telegram momentarily. The effect of the order will not be felt at a terminal point like this city for some time, probably. The Wabash has no repair shops here, and the only men who will quit work in obedience to the order are a few inspectors at the Union Depot."

The Wabash officials claim to be in entire ignorance of any trouble existing between the road and its employes. Colonel Hoxie's private secretary admitted that a committee of the workingmen of the Missouri Pacific had called yesterday afternoon and had left a document for the Third Vice-President. That gentleman being absent, the private Secretary told the committee he would hand it to Colonel Hoxie immediately on his return. None of the officials can imagine what grievance the men claim to have, and it is a concerted expression that the Missouri Pacific men will be called out for no other reason than to give the Wabash men support. However, it is claimed that the Missouri Pacific men are displeased with some of the bosses and will go out, sure. The managers are making every preparation to meet the emergency should it arise.

SURPRISED BURGLARS.

Three Midnight Intruders Severely Castigated By a Sturdy Indiana Farmer.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND., August 19.—The residence of Noah Lockabill, on a farm near Brown's Valley, was entered by tramps Sunday night. Lockabill was awakened by the noise, sprang from his bed and closed with the one in the room. The burglar was reinforced by two others. Mr. Lockabill is a powerful man and flung the captured burglar against the two others in such a manner as to bring the three to the floor. Then he went at them with a club. His wife brought the clothes line, and together they bound the tramps, sat down and waited for them to recover. When the tramps regained consciousness Mr. Lockabill asked them which they preferred, to be taken to Crawfordsville and be placed in jail, where they stood the chance of several years in the Penitentiary, or to be led out one at a time and receive such a whipping as he would administer. They chose the latter, and the farmer took them out, securely tied them to a gate post and administered one hundred lashes to each tramp, with a large new raw hide wagon whip. Each stroke of the whip raised a huge welt on the back of the tramp, and when the operation was completed a pool of blood could be seen where they had stood. Their piteous cries for mercy called in the neighbors until quite a little audience had assembled to witness the castigation of tramp No. 3. As all sympathized with the irate farmer the performance went on till he had completed the hundred lashes.

A WASHINGTON special dispatch says that the petition for the pardon of Police Lieutenant Mullen, of Cincinnati, on file at the Department of Justice, shows that the President, in his efforts to turn the Democratic rascals out of the penitentiary, had the assistance, in addition to the long list of Democratic dignitaries, including the Governor of Ohio, already published, of George H. Pendleton, Minister to France; John F. Follet, Representative in Congress; and R. M. Bishop, former Governor. The petitioners conceal the fact that the Lieutenant pleaded guilty to the indictment, which set up a deliberate conspiracy to imprison colored voters.

THE TURF.

Monmouth Park Races.

NEW YORK, August 19.—There was a big crowd at Monmouth Park track yesterday. The sweepstake was $1,000 each, with $2,000 added by the association. Isaac Murphy piloted Freeland, while Jimmy McLaughlin handled Miss Woodford and Billy Hayward was on Pontiac. The latter was never in the hunt when his antagonists really began to act. The quarters of this great race were in the following times: First quarter, 25 3-4; half mile, 52 seconds; three-quarters, 1:16 1-2; mile, 1.43 1-2; mile and a quarter, 2:09.

The Dyers Bros., owners of Miss Woodford, who are much dissatisfied with the events of the day, have made arrangements for a match with Freeland over one mile and a quarter on Thursday, the stakes to be $2,500. The following is a full summary of the day's races:

First Race—Free handicap sweepstakes; three-fourths of a mile. Avalon, first; Nora M., second, Julietta Stonehenge, third. Time, 1:15 1-2. Mutuals paid $36.45.

Second Race — Champagne stakes, three-fourths of a mile Florence Tonso, first; Kaiula, second; Laura Garrison, third. Time, 1:16 3-4. Mutuals paid $39.20.

Third Race—The choice stakes; one and one-half miles: Richmond, first; Wanda, second; Longview, third. Time, 2:40. Mutuals paid $11 65.

Fourth Race—Free handicap sweepstake; mile and a quarter: Sam Brown, first; Elgin, second; Barnes, third. Time, 2:15 1-4. Mutuals paid $43.55.

Fifth Race—Special race; sweepstakes for all ages; mile and a quarter: Freeland, first; Miss Woodford, second, Pontiac, third. Time, 2:09. Mutuals paid $11.20.

Sixth Race—Three-year-olds; seven furlongs: Little Minch, first; Queen Esther, second, Torpedo, third. Time, 1:29 1-2. Mutuals paid $10 65.

Seventh Race—Handicap hurdle race; mile and a half, over six hurdles: Tallyrand, first; Wallansee, second; Bally, third. Time, 2 50 1-2. Mutuals paid $12.60.

Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 18.—Weather warm; attendance large; track a little heavy.

First Race—Tennessee stakes for two-year-olds, three-fourths of a mile: Kirkman won, Blue Stone, second, Torence, third. Time 1 17.

Second Race—One mile and a half: Valet won, Colonel Sprague, second, Favor, third. Time, 2 40.

Third Race—The Congress Hall stakes for all ages: heats of three-quarters of a mile. Pearl Jennings won the first heat; Kosciusko, second, Jim Renwick, third. Time, 1.16. Second heat. Rapido, first; Pearl Jennings, second; Kosciusko, third. Time, 1:16. Third heat and last: Rapido, first; Pearl Jennings, second. Time, 1:17 1-2.

Fourth Race—Three-fourths of a mile: Strathspey, first, Tillie Doc, second, Editor, third. Time 1:16 1-2.

Fifth Race—Steeple chase, two and one-quarter miles: Captain Curiy, first; Repeater, second, Tarquin, third. Time, 4 29. Mutuals paid $16 50.

BASE BALL.

Score of Games Played Tuesday, August 18th.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—St. Louis Browns, 5, Pittsburghs, 1.

Chicago, Ill.—Chicagos, 9; St. Louis Leagues, 4.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Athletics, 21; Metropolitans, 10.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Brooklyns, 8; Baltimores, 3.

Louisville, Ky.—Louisvilles, 9, Cincinnatis, 7.

New York.—New Yorks, 7, Philadelphias, 3.

Providence, R. I.—Bostons, 7, Providences, 2.

Detroit, Mich.—Buffalos 6; Detroits, 4.

Teemer and Gaudaur.

PITTSBURGH, PA., August 19.—Forfeits of $100 each were put up yesterday with Bernard Morris, of McKeesport, by the backers of John Teemer and Jake Gaudaur for a three-mile scull race for $1,000 a side. The date and place of the race will be agreed upon between the backers in a few days. Teemer goes into training at once.

Poundmaker Found Guilty.

WINNIPEG, MAN., August 19.—The trial of Chief Poundmaker, for complicity in the rebellion was concluded yesterday. He was sentenced to three years imprisonment. When asked why sentence should not be passed upon him, he replied that he had been a good Indian all summer and saved much bloodshed, and if he had washed he might yet have been on the prairies. He said he would rather be hanged at once than imprisoned.

The Remains of E. K. Apgar.

ALBANY, N. Y., August 19.—The remains of Deputy Treasurer E. K. Apgar will be taken to Ithaca, where the funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Prayer will be said in Albany on Wednesday at 5 p. m., before the removal of the remains. Mr. Apgar was born at Ithaca in 1842.

New York Democratic State Convention.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 19.—The Committee has decided that the Democratic Convention shall be held at Saratoga on September 24th, at noon. The vote was 23 to 11.

SENATOR EDMUNDS, who has been spending some months in Europe, has just reached home. In an interview on Monday, the Senator in response to a question about the present condition of trade in England, said, "It is depressed—very much depressed. I made inquiries wherever I went on that point and the reply was everywhere the same. The cause is undoubtedly overproduction. England has gone on manufacturing until she has glutted all the markets. There is already a wide feeling here that England can only save herself and prevent starvation or emigration among her working people by following the example of this country and adopting a protective tariff policy. Indeed, I think she will be compelled to do so."

A fine line of waiter jackets at Cheap Charley's. a17dtf

FROM WASHINGTON.

Feeling the Public Pulse on the Subject of the Tariff.

Successful Work of American Harvesters in Italy—The Postmaster at Chico, Cal., to Be Removed.

Significant Falling Off in the Price of Facing Slips for the Railway Mail Service.

Feeling the Public Pulse.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 19.—The Treasury Department has received two hundred replies, representing almost every manufacturing and important industry in the country, and from almost every State, to the circular recently sent out requesting expressions of views on tariff revision. The Iron and Steel Association has reported that steps have been taken to secure a summary of the views of all the principal manufacturers. The letters received are carefully read, and the entire correspondence will be put in shape for transmittance to Congress. A majority of the letters complain of the advanced duties, but suggest no remedy for the defects.

American Harvesters in Italy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 18.—The State Department has received from Deputy Consul Woods, at Rome, a translation of an official report relating to the use of American reapers in Italy. The Government this year purchased a number of American harvesters, and used them with most satisfactory results during the current season, in a number of provinces. In some of the provinces the prefects and representatives of the agricultural and commercial interests, the pupils of the practical schools of agriculture and technical institutes, as well as a large number of land owners attended the trial and working of the harvesters.

The Yantic at Quarantine.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 19.—The Yantic, on her way to New Orleans from Colon to join the Swatara for the purpose of carrying silver money from the mint there to Washington, has been stopped by the authorities at the quarantine station outside of New Orleans. The authorities refused to let her pass into the port unless she is thoroughly fumigated and subjected to all sorts of methods of disinfection. The Navy Department will not submit to that, so she will join the Swatara outside the quarantine station.

Will Be Removed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 19.—The Post-office Department is informed that a shortage has been found in the accounts of the Postmaster at Chico, Cal. The shortage was subsequently made good by the Postmaster, but he was suspended, and his sureties have been requested to designate some one to take charge of the office pending the appointment of his successor.

A Great Saving.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 19.—The contract for supplying the Post-office Department with facing slips for the railway mail service was yesterday awarded to the Chemical Paper Company of Holyoke, Mass., at $1.18 per ream. Under former contract it was $1 94 per ream.

NEW YORK DEMOCRACY.

The State Convention to Be Held at Saratoga September 24.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 18.—The Democratic State Central Committee met last evening. A communication was received from Hon. Daniel Manning, resigning his position on the committee, and accepted. Hubert O. Thompson, of New York, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"*Resolved*, That in accepting the resignation of Hon. Daniel Manning as Chairman of this committee, we desire to express our appreciation of his long and useful service to the Democratic party, our admiration for his ability and purity of character, and our regret at the loss of that wise leadership, which made our success as a party in state and National politics possible, and we tender him our congratulations at the eminent service in his new field of labor."

Mr. Jno. O'Brien was chosen the successor of Mr. Manning, as Chairman of the committee for the balance of the term. The Chair appointed a committee to prepare a call for the State Convention, and they afterward submitted a report, which was adopted.

Mr. H. O. Thompson moved that the date be fixed for September 24th. Adopted. In the choice of a place Saratoga received twenty-three out of thirty-four votes.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Sydney P. Nichols, Chas. A. McCune and E. K. Apgar were read and adopted. The committee then adjourned to meet September 23d at Saratoga.

OHIO STATE DEMOCRACY.

Governor Hoadly Has a Walk-Over for Renomination.

COLUMBUS, O., August 19.—Delegates to the Democratic State Convention arrive on each train, and the hotels are fast filling up. The preliminary work of organization will begin early this morning in order that everything may be in readiness for the convention, which is to be held in the Opera-house to-morrow. The indications point to an unusually harmonious convention. It is thought, however, that there might be a slight contest over the selection to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge O'Key. Old State politicians say that all differences will be quickly buried and that the party will be a unit in indorsing the administration of President Cleveland. Judge Thurman is quoted as having that evening declined to enter the race, and friends of Mr. Converse say he has no desire for a place on the ticket.

"This," in the language of one of the old timers in Ohio politics, "means Governor Hoadly first, last and all the time."

Indeed, a fair canvass of the field indicates beyond a doubt that Hoadly's renomination is already cut and dried. When asked by a representative of the United Press whether it had been definitely ascertained that Governor Hoadly would accept a renomination, a prominent delegate said:

"Oh, that's all right. Governor Hoadly will accept. He can not help himself. He will be nominated by acclamation and elected too.

It is a fact that delegates who prefer Converse at the head of the ticket have been whipped into the Hoadly ranks. They say that there is no probability of Converse's name coming before the Convention, except it be for second place. The chief interest appears to be settled in the platform, and there will be a strong pressure brought to bear to incorporate a plank authorizing a liquor license law, and the indications point to success.

Should it turn out that Judge Thurman finally consents to the use of his name, there is no doubt but the present harmony will be broken to some extent, but the Hoadly men claim that nothing can now prevent the Governor's renomination. Governor Hoadly is expected here to-day, and it is hoped he may be induced to definitely settle the question as to the use of his name.

The convention will nominate candidates for the following named offices: Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Judge of the Supreme Court (to fill the existing vacancy), Treasurer, Attorney-General and members of the Board of Public Works. There will be in attendance 761 delegates, and 381 votes will be necessary to a choice.

Egan's Answer.

CHICAGO, August 19.—Patrick Egan, before leaving for his home in Nebraska yesterday took occasion to reply to the New York *Daily News'* article, which declares that "the Irish National League in this country is now virtually dead." He said: "The representatives of the league from all parts of the Union ought to know better than the New York *Daily News*. They say it is not dead, and the great convention which will be held in this city next January will demonstrate that it is both alive and strong."

In speaking of the decrease of funds, Mr. Egan says during its first years there was threatened famine and evictions more numerous by thousands than those of later years. Parnell and his associates were imprisoned, and an extraordinary impetus was given to the raising of funds by the issuance of the "No Rent" manifesto. For these and other reasons, many of which no longer exist, funds have not come in as they did in former years.

In regard to his alleged manifesto, Mr. Egan denies the existence of a genuine manifesto. He simply wrote a brief letter correcting misrepresentations of the press and stating why he preferred Blaine. In doing so he exercised merely the privilege which belongs to every other citizen—that of speaking for himself and correcting erroneous statements made concerning him. Mr. Egan cites a number of instances to disprove the charge that the League was used for political purposes in Blaine's interest. Vice-President Doherty, he is happy to see, has been honored by the present administration, and appointed to an office."

Ought to Be Lynched.

EVANSVILLE, IND., August 19.—Union County, Kentucky, is again in the fever heat of excitement over the discovery of a most revolting crime. Sunday night, as Miss Lydia Burnett, of Boyville, aged eighteen, was returning home on horseback from an errand to a neighbor's, when about one mile from home, and while near a wooded farm, she was met by her uncle, Robert Fowler, a wealthy farmer, who asked her to alight. The girl, not suspecting anything wrong, did so, when she was immediately seized by Fowler, forcibly carried to the woods, ravished and then, to conceal his crime, cut her throat from ear to ear. Fowler was arrested and placed in the Morganfield jail yesterday morning.

At ten o'clock last night a telephone message from the latter place reported that the fiend would be lynched before midnight.

He Will Remove His Fence.

DENVER, COL., August 19.—John M. McMullen, a cattleman, who lives thirty miles below Pueblo, on the Arkansas River, was waited on yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Sweet, who demanded that McMullen should remove the fence from 30,000 acres of Government land which he has inclosed. Sweet gave him the contents of the President's proclamation on that subject, at which McMullen became furious and proposed to give the officer the contents of his gun in exchange. The officer proved to be the quickest on the shoot, and his bullet bored a hole through the calf of McMullen's leg. The irate ranchman at once came to terms, and was lodged in jail for his contempt of the executive order.

A Wealthy Beggar.

MEXICO, MO., August 19.—A tramp came to our city yesterday and asked permission of the Mayor to beg. Marshal Murray arrested him on suspicion and searched him, and found $4,800 on his person. There were $800 in gold, $400 in paper, the balance in silver, checks and drafts. The silver and gold were of considerable weight. He gives his name as Sam Turner. He is a cripple and over fifty years of age. He represented himself as much in need. The Marshal is holding him to hear from other towns, the authorities telegraphing several to find out whether there has been a robbery.

Arraigned for Adultery.

BOSTON, MASS., August 19.—The Rev. W. W. Downs, of the Boudoin Square Baptist Church, and Mrs. Annie Taber, a remarkably fine-looking young woman, who were arrested Monday night charged with adultery, were brought before the Municipal Court yesterday morning. Both seemed entirely unconcerned. The room was crowded. The Court being undecided upon the question of issuing a warrant, appointed a private hearing. It is stated that for the past three weeks two men have been observed shadowing the house of Mrs. Taber in Derne street. Their mysterious movements have excited much curiosity in the neighborhood.

Three Fishermen Killed by Lightning.

PEORIA, ILL., August 19.—Eight men were out fishing in a boat at the Narrows in the Illinois River about three miles above here yesterday afternoon, when lightning struck the boat instantly, killing three of them. The names of two of the killed are Scofield and Murphy. The other name has not been ascertained.

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JOHN STABLER.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 15, 1885. 19-1w*

FOR RENT—A new house of six rooms, on West Washington street. Call at No. 813 West Wood street. JACOB GILLES. 19-d6*

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LOST—August 18, on the Spangler mill road, or between Decatur and the Daniels farm, a lady's red morocco pocket book, containing about $31 in money. The finder will please leave it at this office and receive a suitable reward. aug 18-d6*

FOR RENT—House of four rooms, 602 North Edmund street, good out-buildings and plenty of water. Apply to J. O. HOSTETLER, over Fenton's clothing store. 18-d6*

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Aug. 19—d1m*

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(Signed) WILLIAM EVANS.

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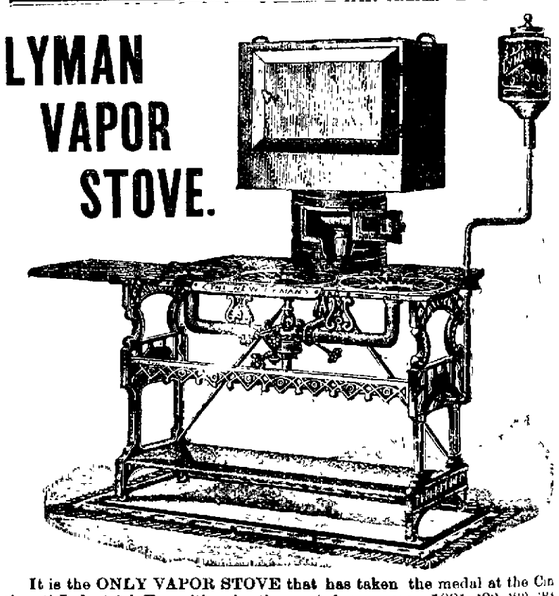

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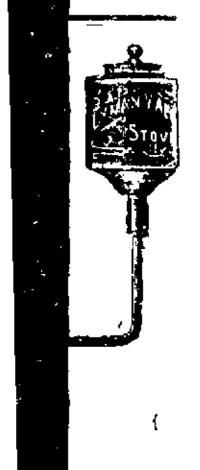

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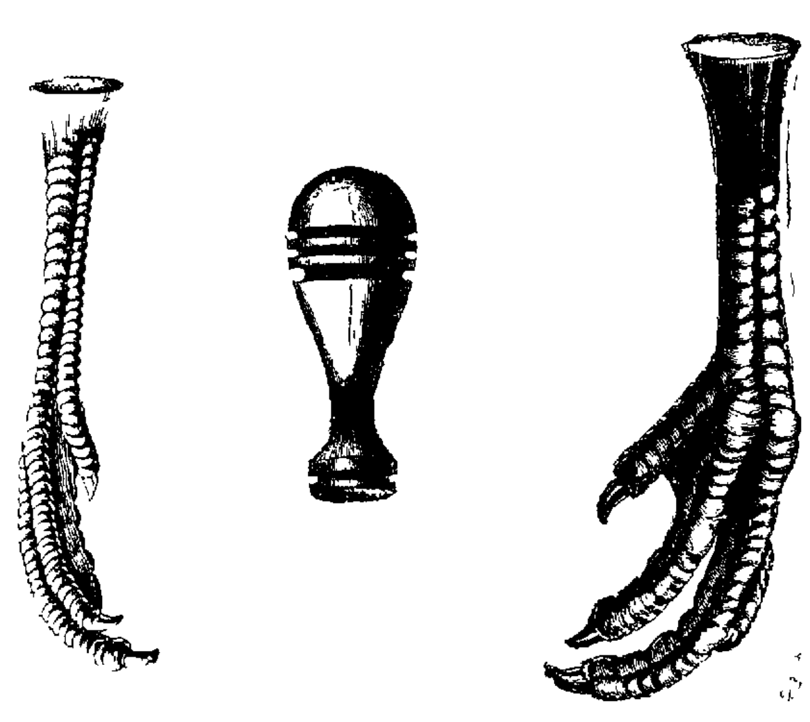

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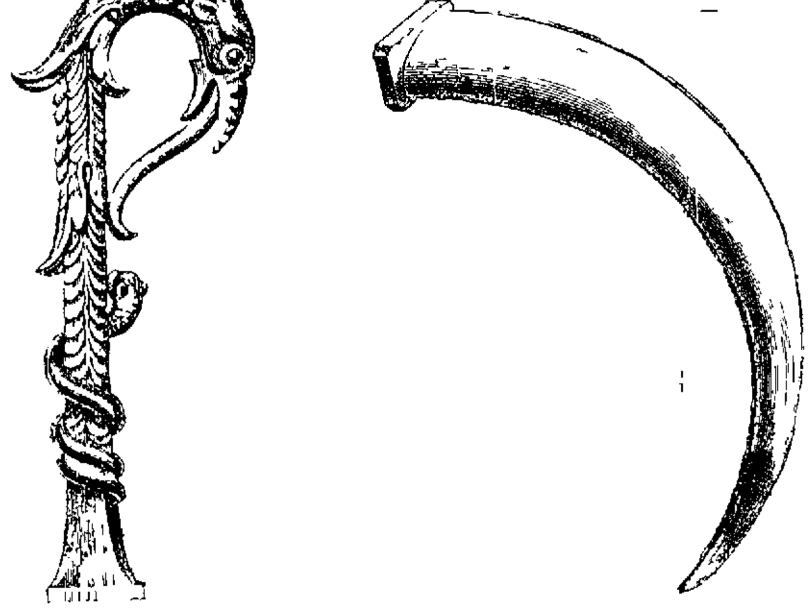

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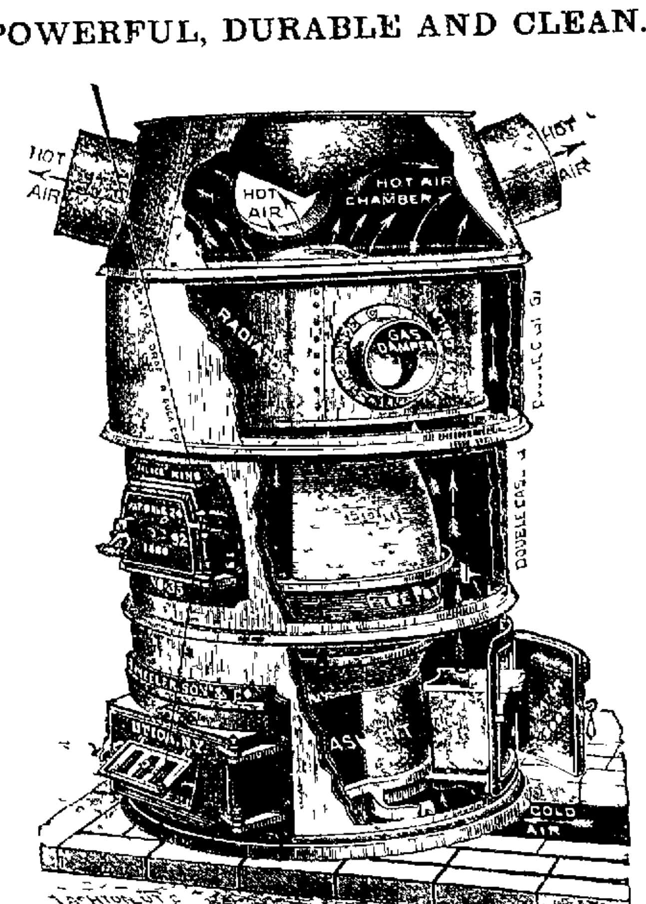

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All our low cut shoes will be sold at the following loss

Men's seamless low cut shoe, for $1 00
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French calf $5 00 (Pingree & Smith) - 2.75

Goods have been in the house only 60 days POWERS & HAWORTH
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Go to Dr Thomas S Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets Decatur Ill 21dtf

ORDER your ice of Antrim Telephone 176 m4-dtf

You can get No 1 Creamery Butter, made by D M Adams, of Argenta, at Peck & Co s. ju25-dtf

County Fair Meeting

There will be a public meeting of citizens and farmers, and all others interested in the formation of a new County Fair Association, held at the court house in Decatur on Saturday afternoon, August 22, at 1 o clock A petition signed by 60 Decatur citizens and prominent farmers recommending that a new fair board be organized and fairs held will be presented at the meeting, and it is urged that there be a large turnout. Remember the hour, one o clock, Saturday afternoon, August 22.

FOR fine-fitting Lawn Tennis Suits call at Cheap Charley's. dawtf

WALL Paper, Curtains and Carpets in newest designs and colorings at the lowest prices. LINN & SCRUGGS.
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WEDNESDAY EVE, AUG 19, 1885

LOCAL NEWS.

If you want to keep your meats, butter and milk cold and sweet, buy an Alaska Refrigerator of
E. D BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

PRAYER meetings this evening

CAPT BOGARDUS and his Indian camp meeting show have gone back to Lincoln.

REMEMBER the union social and entertainment at the Tabernacle to morrow night

A COAL team ran away last evening on North street and tore down part of A M Werner's picket fence

ON Monday evening Miss Rickie Holl and Mr Frank Grieson were united in marriage by J M Lowry, J P

THE 8th, Gov Oglesby's old regiment, will go into camp at Springfield on the 31st There will be a high old time at the capital for one day at least.

REV JAMES LEATON, Rev. M. D Hawes, Rev M L Haney, Rev. Warrington and Rev J R Locke, are taking part in the Jacksonville camp meeting

PIANOS and organs for rent at O B. Prescott s music store

YESTERDAY the Decatur postoffice received 14 000 postal cards from the Streator office There is a delay in the printing under the new contract, and the supply at the depository has been exhausted

THE social and entertainment between the Decatur Y M C A. and the teachers institute to morrow evening at the Tabernacle promises to be a success

THE best of fruits and vegetables on sale at Peck & Co s grocery store in Opera block

THE Wabash road earned in July $962,678 against $1,234,258 the corresponding month, 1884 Decrease this year $271 580 The earnings of the road for the seven months ending July 31, were $7,830 058, a decrease this year of $853 000

MORGAN & ADKESSON sell the best and cheapest Hot Air Furnace in this market. Give them a call and get their prices 110 South Water street aug19 d2w*

NEW styles of curtain goods, lambrequins and beautiful carpets and wall paper in great variety at Abel & Locke s establishment

YESTERDAY Sam McDaniels and Ed. Hickey arrested Monday night, escaped from the first ward calaboose and have disappeared from public gaze The calaboose is not a very secure dungeon

DEAL with Hanks & Patterson, the live grocers, at 113 South Water street, when you want reliable groceries.

THE Springfield Reds crossed bats with the Blues at Bloomington Sunday, and in a ten inning game the Reds were defeated by a score of 7 to 4 The game stood 4 to 4 at the ninth inning

ORDER your Decatur coal of J W Baker at Postoffice Book Store 15 dtf

THE strike among the miners at Danville inaugurated last March when the price of mining was cut down by the Ellsworth company from 75 to 70 cents a ton, still continues Seventy of the men had signed an agreement to resume work at 70 cents but only four put in an appearance

Go at once to L L Ferries & Co's Mammoth Boot and Shoe Emporium and boot and shoe yourself. 8 d&wtf

ON Monday the following Wabash officials held a consultation at Danville K H Wade, general master of transportation and superintendent of the middle division, G W Stevens, superintendent of the eastern division, J. B Barnes, general master mechanic, and W. S. Morris, division master mechanic

STOP at Lehman & Bolen s grocery store, 150 Merchant street, and get the best fruits fresh butter and country produce

MEN'S low cut $5 00 Shoes for half price, at Busher & Hutchin's. 29 d&wtf

IF you have any painting to do this fall we can give you some interesting facts and figures concerning the celebrated "Asbestos paints
MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co

WE have a large stock of Ladies Walking Shoes, to be closed out at less than cost Busher & Hutchin 29 d&wtf

BURT'S Gents' Shoes at L L Ferriss & Co s New goods every day. 8d&wtf

THE ladies of the Baptist church will give a 'Midsummer Entertainment' at the residence of Mrs W H Bramble, on Cemetery street, on Thursday evening, the 20th. The "Peake Sisters' will be present, and other novel attractions Come, one and all, and have a good time

BOOTS and shoes made to order and mending neatly done, at Busher & Hutchin s 29 d&wtf

J W BAKER is agent for the Decatur Coal Co Office at P O Book Store
Aug 15 dtf

AYER'S Sarsaparilla is designed for those who need a medicine to purify their blood build them up, increase their appetite, and rejuvenate their whole system. No other preparation so well meets this want It touches the exact spot. Its record of forty years is one of constant triumph over disease

ATTENTION has lately been called to the fact that in Prof Morse's original plan for building the first telegraph line from Washington to Baltimore it was arranged to lay the wires underground The first ten miles of the line were thus laid, but difficulties were then encountered which led to the use of poles. It has taken half a century to discover that the original design was the right one, especially in cities, and the telegraph companies haven't been converted to the old view, even yet

L L FERRISS & Co, largest house in Central Illinois, immense variety, shoes to suit the most fastidious tastes, wholesale and retail 8 d&wtf

FOR its soothing and grateful influence on the scalp, and for the removal and prevention of dandruff, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal. It restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, stimulates the growth of the hair, and gives it a beautiful, soft glossy and silken appearance

LEAVE orders for Decatur coal at Post Office Book Store, with J W Baker.
Aug. 15 dtf

IN STATU QUO.

No Trouble and No Change at the Wabash Shops To-Day.

The strike of all Knights of Labor employes of the Wabash system of railways east and west of the Mississippi river, inaugurated yesterday by order of the General Executive Board, has thus far caused no trouble in Decatur, and the situation here to day is the same as it was yesterday at this hour. Trains are moving promptly as usual to handle the increasing business of the company, and the reporter is told by the bosses of the several departments that all the men in the different shops are at work putting in full time, and manifesting no disposition whatever to strike. The locked out Wabash men are about the Union depot, consulting quietly together, discussing the situation, and eagerly scanning the city papers as they arrive. Last night Knights of Labor and other union men held a brief secret session, but what was done cannot be told, as those present will not divulge any information It doesn't appear that the men can accomplish anything here unless they can get the train men to join them, and that object can hardly be attained as the men at work are not anxious to remain idle and eventually become hard up for money.

There have been no disturbances or damage to property at this point.

The telegraph tells that the strike has fallen flat at all points on the Wabash. At Springfield, 4 men quit work, at Moberly, Mo, 45, at Stanbury, Missouri, 70 men quit, at Fort Wayne, all Knights of Labor kept at work. In the Southeastern System there are about 15,000 Knights of Labor employes. If these quit work that part of the road will be most seriously effected.

The Wabash officials in Decatur do not appear to be in the least alarmed at the dark predictions made, but go ahead quietly attending to their duties. Most of the men have had some experience in strikes in past years, and are not disposed to talk to newspaper men or anybody else about the situation

The Wykoff Swell Front

The double swell front residence block put up on West Main street by Mr and Mrs P. M Wykoff is completed, and is generally admired for its beauty and elegance of finish It has been leased jointly to M L Parker, who will occupy the east half, and to Hon Wm. Voorhies, Jr, who will reside in the west half. The plans for the handsome structure were drawn by M G Patterson, the brick came from Fred Mattes' yard, and D. C Moffett laid the brick. The stone work was done by John I Pasold, the frear stone work by D Martin, plastering by Hanks & Huff, plumbing by Field & Wilson, hardware by Morehouse, Wells & Co, furnaces were put in and tin work done by Morgan & Adkeson, woodwork throughout by Mills & Harry carpenter work by Samuel Fletcher & Son, frear stone walks and steps laid by R G. Sollars, east half painted by Boyde & Curtis, west half by M A Myer & Son

No Game

James Brooker, Court Myers and Dave Sheehy, of the Terre Haute ball nine, arrived here yesterday from Shelbyville, but the other six players expected from Terre Haute, failed to come to time, and the Reds were too modest to tackle the battery and first baseman, and so the game was not played. A large number of people had gathered at the Park to witness the contest Duplicate tickets were given those who desired them and money was refunded. It was expected that a game would be arranged for to-day, but efforts to get a nine here in time have failed, so the Park will remain closed until Friday, when the Gymnasium Club from St. Louis will be on hand.

ON Friday and Saturday the St Louis Gymnasium Club will play the Reds. The Springfield club will not come until next Tuesday.

Able to Sit Up

The trial of John Seay for the murderous assault on Arthur Kellam is set for to morrow at 9 a. m, before Justice McGorray, but the examination will have to be postponed, as Kellam is not yet able to appear in court. However, he is improving rapidly and is able to sit up The wounds are healing reasonably well.

Death of John H Ham

The death of Uncle John H Ham, a resident of this section for forty years, occurred at 12 o clock last night, at No. 235 West North street, the home of his son, James W Ham, where he had been ill with flux for several weeks The deceased was in the 75th year of his age, and was well known and highly esteemed by all of his many acquaintances Mrs. Dr. W. H Walters, residing at Rockford, is his daughter, and he has many relatives in this city and near Jacksonville. The funeral will take place on Friday

Broke Up the Meetin

The religious denomination known as Holiness people are holding a big camp meeting at Towanda, in McLean county, and are attracting large crowds nightly, many of whom go out of curiosity Sunday the attendance was tremendous and one of the preachers, who delights in styling himself as 'Old Bill Ellis abused his hearers in strong terms for wearing jewelry, and for not seeking sanctification Considerable indignation was aroused and strong talk was made of egging him At the evening service Ellis resumed his tirade of abuse, and while he was calling on high heaven to witness the sinfulness of the world some one in the rear shied a rotten egg at the deacon s head The egg grazed Ellis' face and struck Rev John C Brooks, another Holiness divine square in the breast. For a time confusion reigned and the meeting was broken up

THE Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet promptly at 3 o clock to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon. Officers will make their annual report, to be followed by the annual election of officers. By order of President W. C. T. U.

LAST Sunday a colored base ball club from St. Louis came to Springfield on an excursion train, and at 4 o'clock, an hour after their arrival, commenced a game with the Eclipse colored club at the capital. At the the close of the first inning the score was 7 to 1 in favor of the visitors, when it was told that thieves had entered the club house and robbed the clothing of the players of money, razors, revolvers, marbles and chalk. There was a great racket at once, and the only thing that prevented a general fight was the absence of razors. The robbery "busted up de game," each player doing what he could to run down the robbers, but without success. Springfield is a tough town, and will never get the Soldiers' Home.

The Ross-Gordon Case

The examination of Elmer Ross and Richard Gordon, arrested for having made an assault on Mrs. Susan Millman, five miles from Macon, on August 3d, reached a termination in Justice Curtis' court this forenoon. Ross was fined $15 and costs, and Gordon $5 and costs. The costs foot up $29 75, not counting the attorney's fee. The People were represented by E. P. Vail, state's attorney, and the defendants by Judge Nelson and Mr. Harnsberger. The testimony brought out the fact that Ross had whipped Mrs Millman's little boy, and the old lady had called at Gordon's house to have a talk with Ross. The heated interview, during which some foul language was used, resulted in Ross assaulting Mrs. Millman, injuring her quite severely about the head The two grown daughters of Mrs M. were keeping house for Gordon, and he prevented one of them from coming to the rescue of her mother. The fines were secured

The Celebrated Funk vs Funk Case

Mrs. Malissa Funk, of the celebrated Funk vs Funk case, is in the city, for the purpose of paving the way towards reopening legal proceedings against Mr. Funk That is the size of her business in this city at the present time. She states that she now has a stronger case than ever, as new and important evidence bearing on the case has been discovered. She has not fully made up her mind whether she will commence the suit here, Decatur, or Chicago. Mrs Funk is very confident of winning a victory in the coming proceedings She appears not the least discouraged at her past fruitless efforts to establish her marriage with Funk.

Mrs Funk will remain in the city some time to perfect the preliminary legal proceedings She certainly shows a great deal of pluck, to say the least —*Danville News, 18th.*

Gone Crazy

Last evening Supervisor Freeman got word by telephone from Supervisor Middleton, that Miss Ella Shelton, of Decatur, was crazy at La Place, and it was asked what should be done with her Mr. Freeman directed that she be brought to Decatur. She arrived this morning, in charge of her brother, and was sent to the poor farm by Supervisor Hill, who is in receipt of a letter from Mr Middleton describing the young lady's affliction. Miss Shelton lived in Decatur up to three weeks ago, when she went to La Place to visit her brother She has been making her home in Decatur in the families of Rev J R Locke, S R. Gher and Rev T W Pinkerton Her insanity is ascribed to undue religious excitement Her age is about 20 years

A Slander

The Peoria *Transcript* of Monday contained the following The Peoria club has returned from Decatur covered with glory and court plaster The latter is the result of a little maliciousness on the part of some of Decatur's exemplary citizens Chagrined at three successive drubbings administered to their pets by the lads from Peoria, a crowd of Decaturites surrounded the hotel at which the Peoria youths were stopping and threw rocks and other missiles in the windows More than $1,000 changed hands on the three games, and the Peoria boys came home loaded with Decatur gold. Small wonder they got mad.' The facts have been misrepresented to the *Transcript* "local' It is known that several of the Peoria boys got into a racket among themselves, and that if any injuries were inflicted calling for court plaster applications, they owe the wounds to themselves The visitors were treated like gentlemen while here, and were applauded and praised for their skill in ball playing

$100 a Side

To night and Thursday evenings, at Amsterdam, N Y, George R Brett, of this city, and W H Son, of Amsterdam, will engage in a hose coupling contest for $100 a side and 60 per cent of the net gate receipts Hope George will down his opponent and come home with the stake money

1289 Bushels in Five Hours

EDS REPUBLICAN —I see in the REPUBLICAN of the 13th inst. that a man at Niantic threshed 1130 bushels of oats in six hours Please say to your readers that Charley Wise, of Blue Mound township, threshed on Friday, the 14th inst, for M. C. Livingston, 1289 bushels of oats in five hours, machine measure If any can beat that tell them to report BOODY

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the postoffice at Decatur Macon county, Ill, for week ending August 19 1885

Andrew H
Anderson Andrew
Anderson Miss Lizzie
Alsip John
Amos John
Albert Lizzie
Blalock Belle
Brown Harry (com d ml)
Barnes L P
Brightman A H
Brown Henry
Busby John
Brooks Mis Mattie
Boughmon Mrs R
Cooper Dr J D
Chelen Michel
Conrad Fredrick
Clough J T
Cork J D
Curtis Mrs Mary
Coe Mrs Pasbant
Cullington Patrick
Conry Thomas
Dutron J S 2
Edmonds Frank C
Fuller E D
Graham Mrs A
Garver Miss Leah
Henshaw F J
Hickey Mrs
Huston Minnie L
Johnson Miss Annie
Jones Miss Carrie
Johnson Miss Louisa
Kushner Henry
Koley Alfred
Kenedy John J
Lambert Bruce
Long Dick
Leonard Wm
Mitchell Alfred
Miller Miss Ada E
Montgomery A A
Marshall Mrs Mary
Morris Miss Priscilla
Montgomery Sam I
Miller Wilhelm
McLauchlan Charles
McIdtye D W
McCloud A B
McClellan E D
McNeil James
McGarigle John P
McCairg Sadie
Mitchell Peter
Nicholson Miss Lizzie
Ort Charles
Palmer P C
Rice Charles
Richards John
Russell Miss Lucille
Russell Miss Marian
Reynolds Miss Mary
Ryan Patrick
Sibbett J A
Shoskey James
Seavison John H
Shepherd Mrs Louisa
Serlo Rosa
Simonds W W
Smith Charles N (M D)
Swope C N
Scherer J M
Smith I A
Smith Frank A
Stackhouse F M
Stephens Genovive
Stine Miss Lizzie
Stevenson James
Smith John B
Smith I B
Stephens W M
Thumsburg J R
Toller Mrs Bettie
Tomas Miss Emma
Thompson D P
Tucker Andrew
Vants Eva
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Webb George
White Miss Jennie
Wilbur Mrs J A
Wallace Mrs Nancy E
Westerman J W
Welsom Mrs Mary
Wilkins Robt
Winnings Mrs Susetta
Young Miss Eliza
Maggie H, Hoover & Co
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FOREIGN

Peltoel Edward
Nielsen Miss Olga
Bozet Wm A

R P LYTLE P M

MRS NELLIE AUNGST, the fashionable dress maker, rooms 5 and 6 in Haworth Block, has just returned from a protracted visit to New York and Philadelphia, where she made observations and notes on the prevailing styles of dresses which she is prepared to introduce here in all their elegance Prices as reasonable as those of any other dressmaker in the city. Give Mrs. Aungst an early call.
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The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day.

Wheat—80½ Aug, 81½ Sept., 83¼ Oct, — Nov

Corn—45⅛ Aug; 45⅛ Sept, 44¾ Oct.

Oats—26 Aug, 24¾ Sept., 24¾ Oct.

THE COUNTY BOARD.

New Polling Places—Action about the Soldiers' Home.

The members of the board of supervisors met Tuesday afternoon and adopted the following as the new polling places in Decatur township

First District—Mrs. Warnecke's store, corner Clayton and Orchard streets. Judges—W. T. Dillehunt, William Rush and Timothy Condon.

Second District—Lee Gill's store, corner Morgan and Marietta streets. Judges—Thomas Hamilton, Frank Payne and W. H Churchman.

Third District—A. F. Gephart's store, corner North Water and Packard streets. Judges—Fred. J Smith, Harvey Mahannah and J. Q A. Odor.

Fourth District—J. C. Hendricks' shop, on West Green street. Judges—W. J Usrey, F W Hardy and R. T. Davis.

Fifth District—E. McNabb's shop, on Pine street Judges—E. McNabb, J. H Randall and Fred. Jones.

Sixth District—Nicholls Bros. blacksmith shop, on Wood street Judges—Henry McClellan, William Gaebler and W H Bramble.

Seventh District—Pratt & Co's grain office, corner North Main and Prairie Sts Judges—A. T Hill, R. E Pratt and D C. Shockley

Eighth District—Citizens' street car stables, on East North street. Judges—James C Lake, David L. Hughes and M. B Thomas.

Ninth District—Louis Koehler's store, corner East Wood and Broadway. Judges—J R. Mosser, J. N. Bills and H. C. Johns

Tenth District—No. 2 Hose House, on East Eldorado street. Judges—John A Brown, George R Dodson and John Gogerty.

THE SOLDIERS' HOME

The following resolution, introduced by Supervisor Woodcock, was adopted

Resolved, That in case the Soldiers' Home is located in Macon county, the committee having in charge the real estate known as the fair grounds, be empowered to sell the same and apply the proceeds in purchasing a site for said Soldiers' Home, provided the said fair grounds be not used as a site for said Home.

The following resolution, introduced by Supervisor Freeman, was also adopted

Resolved, That the supervisors of Decatur township are hereby authorized to have plats made of the township showing the boundaries of the various voting districts, and that a plat be placed in the polling place of each district.

Skipped Out

D H Pingree, the husband of Mdme. Fay, the London medium who gave a sell show here last spring, has been managing variety entertainments at Oak Ridge Park, at Springfield, for several months. The *Journal* states that Monday night Mr Pingree, who is a smooth and apparently guileless citizen, skipped out for parts unknown, leaving numerous creditors to mourn his sudden exodus Pingree is wanted badly at the capital

To the Mexican War Veterans

The Annual Reunion of Mexican War Veterans will be held at Effingham Ill, on Monday and Tuesday, September 14 and 15, 1885 All are requested to be with us and have a good hand shaking The citizens of Effingham are making preparations to welcome the old soldiers and as many as can attend the National Reunion at Indianapolis will get reduced rates from Effingham to Indianapolis and return for one and one third fare We can go from Effingham to Indianapolis on the 16th of September All who expect to attend the reunion at Indianapolis on the 16th and 17th will notify me at once at Decatur, Ill

CAPT J W. HARTLEY, Sec y
Mexican War Vet Ass

COL FERRIS FORMAN, President

PERSONAL MENTION.

John Hatfield has gone to Peoria on business.

Miss Annie McDonald left for Monticello this noon, on a week s vacation

James Donahue, of Portland, Maine, is at the New Deming.

Mrs Ald Whitsel is home from a protracted visit to Pennsylvania.

Sylvester C Hargis will return to Texas to morrow

J W Race came home from Chicago this morning

J L. Fenton and son, H. W, left for Chicago this noon.

Frank J Taylor left for Kansas last evening

Mr and Mrs D F Hamsher have returned from Spirit Lake, Iowa.

John W. Kalips and Miss Hannah M. Rodgers, both of Macon, were granted a marriage license to day

Ed. Bishop will make an important trip to an attractive city in Ohio about Sept. 1st

Frank B Payne, Wabash master mechanic at this point, was at Danville yesterday

John Bane and Mr and Mrs John F Fox, all of Zanesville, Ohio, are guests of F J Terry, of the cracker factory.

Isaac Shellabarger and wife arrived home last evening from Minnesota, where they have been visiting their daughter.

Harry Miller will probably manage the skating rink at the tabernacle the coming season, Mr Priest having had a disagreement with Van Allen.

J W Russell, of the Union Iron Works, arrived home at noon to-day from Kansas City, Mo He reports everything quiet among the Wabash men west of the river No evidence of a strike

The Forepaugh Success

The circus season is upon us and revives many a pleasant memory of childhood, when a longing for a sight at the highly dressed riders, beautiful horses, and mid air flights of reckless gymnasts knew no limit The oldest people remember the Forepaugh, always meretorious and satisfactory, as the best of all traveling tented exhibitions. This year a series of brilliant successes has distinctly marked a new chapter in a life of extraordinary brilliancy from an amusement standpoint The press are a unit this season as to Forepaugh's excellence, and when the exhibition arrives on August 27th, our people will enjoy a season of recreation seldom met with. The Chicago *Daily Telegram* of June 2 says of the show

The initial performances of the Forepaugh show yesterday afternoon and last evening were largely attended, and predict an immense business before the engagement ends Of the ring performance it can be truthfully said it compares favorably with, and is superior to, the best seen heretofore The special features advertised are all enacted. The performance takes place in two rings and on a stage in the centre, three acts being continually in progress. The specialties are many of them new, especially that of Kabowls, a young lady who performs a thrilling feat. The menagerie is large and attractive, the herd of elephants being the largest ever seen here. The show is certainly worth witnessing

DIED.

On Tuesday evening August 18 of cholera infantum IDA MAY, the infant daughter of Alva and Annie E Sawyers aged 3 months. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon from 951 West Main street

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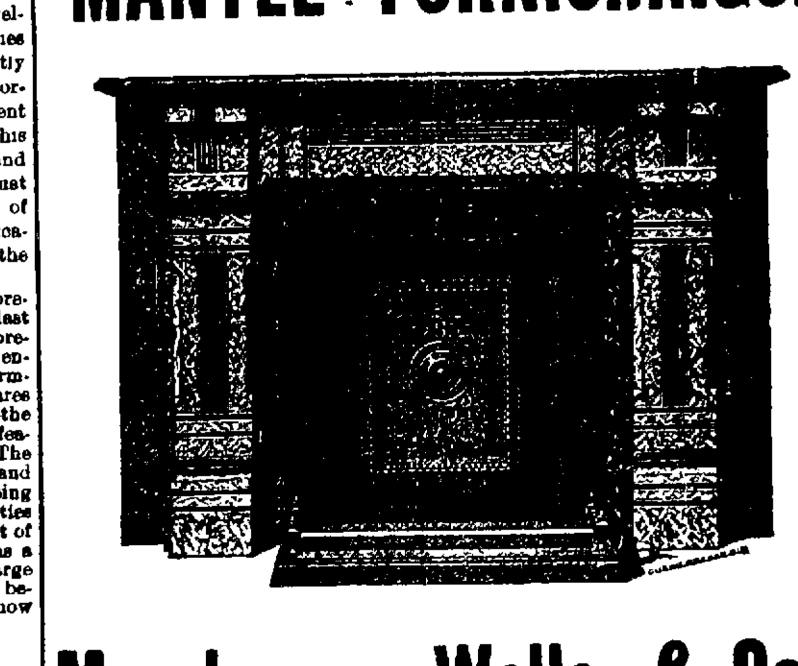

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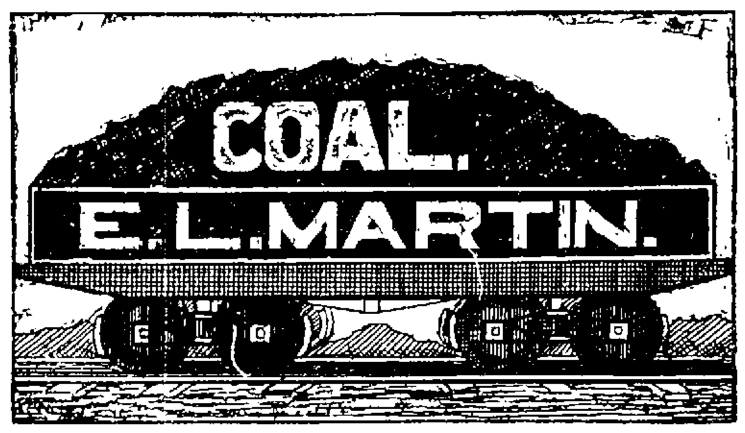

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Aug. 18—dtf

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CAN BE CURED WITHOUT THE USE OF OPIUM OR MORPHINE!

The *Medical Brief*, published at St. Louis, says in the June, 1884, issue: "Many have become victims to the use of opium or morphine, from the use of those drugs for the relief of Neuralgia. It is gratifying to observe that such dangerous consequences may be averted by the use of TONGALINE, which is almost a specific in the acute form of Neuralgia."

"Used Tongaline in a case of Neuralgia of 12 or 15 years standing, which had resisted all treatment. This was six months since and the patient has enjoyed perfect freedom from her complaint." E. L. ROWE, M. D., Gentryville, Mo.

"Have given Tongaline a fair trial in Neuralgia. To use my patient's own expression, 'It's the medicine for that disease.'" J. P. RINKEL, Brighton, Ill.

"I consider Tongaline the best preparation for Neuralgia I have ever tried." O. V. DUVAL, M. D., Pineville, Mo.

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A. A. MELLIER, Sole Proprietor, 709 and 711 WASHINGTON AVENUE, ST. LOUIS.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas John C Jones and Hattie E. Jones, his wife, did, on the 28th day of January, 1875, by deed of trust, convey to Kilburn H. Roby, trustee, the real estate hereinafter described, to secure a certain obligation of said John C. Jones, for the payment of the sum of One Thousand Dollars, to the Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association, of Decatur, Illinois, which deed of trust is recorded in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, book 61, page 10. That there will be due on said obligation September 8th, 1885, the sum of $976 00. And whereas default has been made in the payment of said obligation according to the conditions thereof, and the legal holder of said obligation has requested the undersigned trustee to advertise and sell the real estate in said deed of trust described, to make the debt aforesaid,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 8th Day of September, A. D. 1885,

at 10 o'clock A. M., at the west outside door leading into the court house in the City of Decatur, Illinois the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot four (4), in block five (5) of Berry H. Cassell's Fourth Addition to the City of Decatur. It is understood that Ruth A. Culver, Nancy Walt and A. Witt have or claim some interest in said real estate as grantees thereof or otherwise, acquired subsequent to the recording of said deed of trust and subject thereto.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 8th, 1885.
aug8-dsd KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of MICHAEL K. CARROLL, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Michael K. Carroll, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the third Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1885.
WM. P. SHADE, Administrator.
July28 d3w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }
In the Circuit Court of the September Term, A. D. 1885.

John Coleman vs. Sarah J. Coleman, Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to the said Sarah J. Coleman that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the circuit court of Macon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1885, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Aug 13d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Circuit Court September Term, A. D. 1885.

Richard J. Oram vs. Mollie A. Oram—Divorce. No. 12,195.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Mollie A. Oram, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Mollie A. Oram that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 30th day of April, 1885, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the SECOND MONDAY OF MAY, 1885, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Mollie A. Oram, shall personally be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur in said county, on the Fourth Monday of September, 1885, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things herein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

july21d4w E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Henry Philip William Steinbeck, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry Philip William Steinbeck, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the third Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this third day of August, 1885.
AUGUST STEINBECK,
Adm'r of said Estate.
Aug. 3-d3w

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BUTCHER

—AND—

PACKER,

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS

Hams,
Breakfast Bacon
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Bologna and Lar
at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. I kill only first-class stock. Feb19'78dtfd,

CHOLERA is rapidly moving westward and will soon appear in this country. In order to prevent disastrous effects from its ravages every preventive should be employed, and the system should be in perfect condition. At this season of the year the system is in a weak state and easily susceptible to dangerous disease. Pain in the back, weariness, lassitude, headache, dyspepsia, indigestion, kidney and liver complaints are but the result of neglect. During the last visitation of cholera to this country no medicine was found equal to Mishler's Herb Bitters, both as a preventive and cure, and it has been equally successful in all the diseases above mentioned. It renews and invigorates the blood, restoring to health and strength, and thus shielding the system from disease.

Ask your druggist for MISHLER HERB BITTERS. If he does not keep it do not take anything else, but send a postal card to MISHLER HERB BITTERS Co., 525 Commerce Street, Philadelphia.

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which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon Sausage, Lard, Etc.

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

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Commissioners' Notice.

OFFICE OF HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS OF DECATUR TOWNSHIP, MACON, CO., ILL.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Highway commissioners of Decatur Township, Macon county, Illinois, at the Town Clerk's office, in the city of Decatur, for the following described work on the Iron Bridge, known as the Wilkoff Ford Bridge, said iron bridge to be raised up three feet from its present position and the following described spans to be built: One span, sixty feet in length, on the north side; one span, sixty feet in length, on the south side; also, six spans, forty feet in length, on the south side. All of said spans of said bridge to be built on a level with the main bridge; all of said work to be painted with mineral paint and boiled linseed oil. Bidders are requested to furnish their own plans and specifications. Plans, specifications and sealed bids must be filed in the Town Clerk's office by the FIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1885.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Bond will be required for said work.

August 11, 1885.

D. A. MAFFIT,
T. L. ANTRIM,
G. M. CALDWELL,
Commissioners of Decatur Township, Macon county, Illinois.
JNO. R. WILLIAMS, Tp. Clerk. 12-d2w-w1

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South side of the Old Square, Decatur
Jan.1, 1880—d&w

FOR birthday presents, buy a Gent's Smoking Jacket at B. Stine's. dtf

ICE delivered to all parts of the city by T. L. Antrim. Telephone 176. m4-dtf

BEST 25 cent dinner in the city at Krebs' lunch room, 145 East Prairie St. Oct. 22—dtf

CARPETS, in Brussels, Moquets and Ingrain, very handsome and very cheap at Linn & Scruggs. a2-dawtf

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, - PUBLISHERS,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

TO DRESS-MAKERS.

Hints of Value to That Large Class Which Fashions Other People's Clothes.

The foundation skirts of dresses must be narrow in order to be stylish: the mistake of amateur dress-makers is to make the back of this foundation skirt as wide as the outside, which gives a most ungraceful effect. Two yards and a fourth of a yard is the greatest width of short walking dresses, but these must not have drawing-strings too low down, or the back fullness will be tossed from side to side as the wearer walks.

Tucked skirts of sheer woolen dresses are now made without any foundation skirts, with merely a deep facing of crinoline and alpaca, and are therefore very light and pleasant for summer wear. The full double width of the fabric is used for the back breadth; on each side of this is a narrow side gore measuring three-eighths of a yard at the top, with perhaps a sixteenth added at its greatest width at the front. Between there is the front breadth, about five-eighths wide at the foot, and narrowed at top by two or three darts taken deep enough to make it fit smooth across the wearer. This is cut sufficiently long to allow eight or ten tucks, each two inches wide, being taken up. The lowest tuck is not exactly at the foot, but falls upon a fine knife pleating that drops as low as the skirt binding and forms a pretty finish. All the fullness at the top is gathered or pleated into the back of the belt, extending an eighth of a yard each side of the placket opening behind. Two or three sets of tapes sewed to the side gores tie behind and hold the front and sides in place. To finish this is a short apron drapery in front sewed in with the belt of the lower skirt, and behind there is a sash drapery made of two uneven loops and ends of the wool goods taken lengthwise about half a yard wide, and finished with a hem and tucks. The waist should have lengthwise narrow tucks in front and behind, be fitted smoothly over a lining and stitched across the waist line to dispense with a belt. The fronts between these tucks are each left plain, are about three inches wide, and when lapped double they represent a vest, which is completed by a row of small buttons down each side. Thin silesia linings in figures and stripes of color with white or with a whole gray surface are used for such dresses.—*Harper's Bazar.*

OF INTEREST TO TRAVELERS.

How They May be Sure of Obtaining Refreshing Sleep on a Railway Train.

Until recently I have not been able to secure much sleep on the first night of a railway journey, and it may be an advantage to many travelers to know how the inability was overcome. An excess of blood in the brain prevents sleep. How to remove the surplus is the problem for the unfortunate who wish to sleep but can not. A pump is needed for that purpose, and it may easily be provided, as follows: Having assumed the usual posture of repose, inhale and exhale slowly and steadily long breaths, devoting the whole attention to making the inhalations and exhalations of exactly the same length. The length should be much greater than that of ordinary breathing, although not sufficient to disturb the circulation by working the lungs to their utmost capacity. Any person who has force of will enough to concentrate his whole attention on the maintenance of this style of breathing can compel sleep in very unfavorable circumstances and victims of insomnia should know it.

The value of the method is not solely in holding the mind to one object of thought, but the process of breathing here described is really equivalent to the insertion of a pump in the brain to draw off its excess of blood. To convince yourself that this is so, fill your lungs with all the air they can hold and then expel it, repeating the operation three or four times as rapidly as possible. The result will be a feeling of faintness, unless you are other that an ordinary mortal, and its cause will be a deficiency of blood in the brain, produced by the pumping process. Such violent breathing will not produce sleep, however, as there is a reaction which sends the life current rushing back to the seat of the mind. Scientists say that the reason why fear, surprise or any other sudden emotion often causes faintness is because it rapidly drives the blood from the brain, and the fact is significant for those who wish to understand how to induce sleep, whether on the railway train or in their beds at home, by pumping the excess of blood from their brains by a peculiar method of breathing.—*Cor. N. Y. Mail and Express.*

Apple-Sauce for Cows.

We have found apples valuable as a food for milch cows, having used them freely in a green state. Lately we have been feeding dried cores and skins, the refuse of an evaporating house. Their known composition accredits them with a value by weight equal to three-fourths that of an equal weight of corn meal, and this valuation is fully confirmed by the feeding tests. Ten pounds per cow per day, wet and mixed with half their weight of cotton-seed meal, fed in two feeds, make a well-balanced food and a most excellent flavored milk and butter, and secures a liberal return in quantity. Where corn meal is worth twenty dollars a ton the dried fruit is worth fifteen. At this price it pays well for drying, as it can be done for about four dollars a ton for cores and skins, and small and refuse apples which require slicing can be dried for six dollars a ton. This is much better than throwing them away or making them into cider for somebody to guzzle, to his injury. Cows relish the dried fruit keenly, and the sauce it makes is good for them by contributing to health, and thrift, and sleek coats. It serves the same purpose in the diet of the cow that sauces and condiments do in a diet for humanity.—*Exchange.*

—General Washington was a Marshal of France—the only American who ever enjoyed that high honor.

WHO of us are without our troubles, be they small or large? The blessings of health are best appreciated when we are sick and in pain. A hacking cough, a severe cold or any throat or lung diseases are very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently cured by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure. Safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents. Trial size free. Dr. A. J. Stoner. 1

Removal.

John W. Tyler, jr., the harness dealer, has removed his store to his new location on East Prairie street. He has a fine display of new harness, saddles, etc., and invites the citizens and farmers to give him a call. June 25-dawtf

FINE style straight cut coats at Cheap Charley's. Call and examine. a17dtf

TELEPHONE No. 100 and get pure crystal ice from D. A. Maffit. Special attention paid to all orders. Three wagons on the rounds every morning. apr 7-dtf

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

—The grain is not all of the corn crop. The fodder is one of the most valuable portions, and should always be considered in estimating the value of the crop.—*Turf, Field and Farm*

—Hard gingerbread: One cup of molasses, two tablespoons melted butter (or lard), two tablespoons sour milk, one teaspoon of ginger and one of saleratus. Roll out quite stiff with flour.—*Exchange.*

—On small farms where a few pigs are kept a great advantage will be gained by planting a number of pumpkin seeds in the corn rows after the corn has been worked. Quite a large and cheap crop may be secured in this manner, and the pigs will grow much faster on a mixed vegetable diet than they will on corn alone.—*Troy Times.*

—Hon. F. P. Root says in the *American Rural Home* that no fertilizer that he has used for the pea has proved so beneficial as land plaster. The effect is "wonderful, even greater than on clover, doubling the growth and sometimes more." It should be sown, he says as soon as the plants show above ground, from one to two bushels per acre.

—The *National Live-Stock Journal* strongly advises farmers against time sales of farm products. It is simply supplying middlemen with capital, which commonly they don't use for the exclusive benefit of those who generously provide them with it, and often wind up with a failure, to the serious loss of the too-confiding farmer. Cash sales, it thinks, are always safest.

—Ginger snaps: Two coffee cups molasses, one of sugar, one-half cup of butter, one-half cup of lard, tablespoonful of ginger. The butter, lard and ginger to be rubbed in the flour. Two teaspoonfuls saleratus, dissolved in a little water and put with the molasses and sugar, which may be warmed a little—flour to roll. This makes a gallon jar of ginger snaps.—*Boston Budget.*

—Mr. O. S. Bliss suggests in the New York *Tribune* the use of flat perches for young chicks. "And do not," he adds, "restrain them from taking to them as early as they will. It provided with suitable quarters they are less liable to disease or injury when roosting than when gathered in clumps, either with or without the care of the hen. They will not voluntarily go to roost so long as they are unable to keep themselves warm, and they should be permitted to follow their instincts in that respect."

—It is well to remember that water may be made almost absolutely safe for drinking by boiling it. If there is a suspicion as to the perfect purity of the water, it is far better to take the trouble to boil and cool it than to run the risk of typhoid fever or some other filth disease. It should be remembered, also, that the benefit of boiling or distilling may easily be negatived by the use of impure ice in cooling the water. Drinking water should be cooled by putting ice around the receptacle rather than in it.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

SHEEP.

The Interest Looking Up and Likely to Recover Lost Ground.

The sheep interest is looking up, and promises to recover its lost ground very rapidly. For some reason—probably the folly of shepherds and wool growers more than anything else—wool varies in price considerably every few years. Wool buyers are not asleep and are continually watching the pulse, as it were, of the wool growers, and when indications of panic are noticed down go the prices, and then flocks are sacrificed. The recent panic began with some foolish men who declared the reduction of duty of five cents per pound upon wool would ruin the sheep interest. A great scare occurred, and while the sheep interest was not ruined a good many shepherds were, and lost money by wantonly sacrificing sheep for twenty-five or fifty cents each. But their loss was the gain of others, who got the sheep for less than their value. It was a mere change of property, as when a man fools away his money by betting or other gambling. The sheep interest has not suffered; it was merely transferred for a nominal consideration, in part, to new hands.

Wool at thirty cents a pound is by no means a losing affair. When one hundred ewes, allowing the safe estimate of an increase of eighty per cent. and losses by death of ten per cent., will increase to one thousand four hundred and twenty-five in ten years, and will give enough wool each year, even at twenty cents per pound, to pay expenses, the profit of a flock should be quite satisfactory; 14.25 per cent. in ten years is a larger profit than many farmers make and will compare favorably with any other business. So that on the whole, if there are any persons who are making new ventures in this direction, or any who are fearing to hold on to their flocks at the present time, it may be clear to them that there is margin enough given for a hopeful if not certain success in this staple branch of agriculture.

While considering the subject of sheep rearing and wool growing it might be interesting to recall the fact that the prosperity of Ireland was at its height when the manufacture of woolen goods was the principal business. But when the jealousy of her British rulers led to the crippling and final destruction of this prosperous industry the downfall of Ireland began. The skilled artisans left the country and escaped to France and other countries in Europe, where they established themselves and founded the fine woolen trade of France which made French merino cloth famous over the world. Marshal, and afterward President, MacMahon is a descendant of one of the Irish families who were forced from their homes by the destruction of the woolen business. And Ireland itself—alas, nothing more is needed than to point to its present condition as a proof of the infinite damage which the loss of her sheep and her woolen factories inflicted upon her.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Five hundred tons of fish are required daily to supply London.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Krump's Balsam, which we sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. *Trial size free.* For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, 14 south side new square. b3

Eureka Springs

Health resort is located in Carrol county, Arkansas, and is reached by the St. Louis and San Francisco railway and Eureka Springs railway. For illustrated pamphlets relating to the discovery of the springs, traditional history and curative properties, with time table folders and map of route, call upon or address Geo. Lower, traveling land agent "Frisco Line, 252 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. jy4-dawtf

CALL at Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s for the celebrated Champion Iron Force Pump, the best force pump out. a12d&w2mo

LEAVITT & ROYAL have removed to the building occupied by V. H. Parke. March 10-d&wtf

Hydrophobia.

Franklin Dyer, a highly respectable and intelligent farmer, of Galena, Kent county, Md., gives the following as a sure cure for the bite of a mad dog:

"Elecampane is a plant well known to most persons, and is to be found in many of our gardens. Immediately after being bitten, take an ounce of the root of the plant (the green is preferable, but the dried will answer, and may be found in any drug store, and was used by me), slice or bruise, put in a pint of fresh milk; boil down to a half pint; strain, and when cold drink it, fasting at least six hours afterward, and next morning repeat the dose, prepared as the last, and this will be sufficient.

"It is recommended that after each dose nothing may be eaten for at least six hours. I have a son that was bitten by a mad dog eighteen years ago, and four other children in the neighborhood were also bitten; they took the above dose, and are alive and well to this day. I have known a number of others who were bitten and applied the same remedy."

Loss of appetite arises from a variety of causes. It is not in itself a primary disease, but is the accompaniment of other diseases. It may arise from the derangement of the liver, (in many cases, however, of disease arising from the liver the appetite is inordinate), or it may arise from dyspepsia, which is usually the case. To remove this disease, it may be so called, the original cause must first be removed, and afterward the system must be strengthened by tonics. Mishler's Herb Bitters is the best tonic in existence. Peruvian bark, gentian root, spicewood, and dandelion, form a better tonic than any compound yet discovered, and all these ingredients enter into the composition of Mishler's Herb Bitters.

—The Austrians have unearthed at Luxor five large granite statues of Rameses II., one of which is perfect.

Mince Pie.

Somebody in writing of this pie, has called it "the devil's compound." The effects of long indulgence in it are such as sometimes warrant this title. The too hearty consumer of mince pie and similar luxuries is sure, sooner or later, to be afflicted with dyspepsia. But dyspepsia will yield to Brown's Iron Bitters, the great iron tonic. Mr. and Mrs. Paddock, of East Delavan, Wis., both testify that this medicine cured them, not only of dyspepsia, but also of kidney disease.

—There are 12,000 stamp collectors among children of the New York public schools, and many dealers in stamps.

HAVING used Tongaline extensively, I can cordially recommend it for cases of facial neuralgia, where I have found it to produce the desired result in every instance, when all other remedies had previously failed.

F. F. Lord, M. D., San Francisco, Cal.

—A strong effort is being made to have the grave of Israel Putnam, at Brooklyn, Conn., restored, properly marked and cared for.

IN the pursuit of the good things of this world we anticipate too much; we eat out the heart and sweetness of worldly pleasure by delightful forethought of them. The result obtained from the use of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic far exceed all claims. It cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malarial diseases. Price 50 cents of Dr. A. J. Stoner. 1

—John S. Wise, Republican candidate for governor of Virginia, is the greatest admirer of dogs in the state, and never misses a dog show.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Swearingen & Hubbard. a1

—A Venetian gondolier makes on an average 4 francs, about 80 cents, a day the year round. On this he will marry, rear a family, and put some money away

An Enterprising, Reliable House.

Swearingen & Hubbard can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the Agency for such articles as have well-known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the Agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any affection of Throat, Lungs and Chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a Trial Bottle Free. a1

—Mary Anderson denies the rumor that she is to be married to a Kentucky manufacturer.

THE best on earth, can truly be said of Griggs Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. dec8-ly

—The Adventists have settled it. The end of the world is now positively fixed for May 14, 1886.

Aches and Pains.

For all aches and pains, rheumatism, neuralgia, the wind colic in horses, old sores, nasal catarrh, diphtheria, and all affections of the throat, lungs and kidneys, use Chapman's King of Oils. Prepared only by Dr. H. C. Chapman & Son, Taylorville, Ill. Sold in Decatur by Dr. A. J. Stoner and W. C. Armstrong.

July 4-dawlyr

The Great Wabash Route.

In going to Pittsburg, Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, take the GREAT WABASH LINE—train leaving Decatur at 10:40 p. m., has a Pullman car to Ft. Wayne, arriving there at 6:50 a. m., making direct connection with the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne & Chicago express, which has Pullman cars to Pittsburg, Harrisburg, Philadelphia and New York. You can secure berths at Wabash ticket office. For further particulars in regard to all routes East or West, North or South, call on C. H. BROWN, W., St. L. & P. ticket office, [july21-dtf.

D. A. MAFFIT has three wagons delivering pure crystal ice every day. Send orders to Telephone 100. apr 7-dtf

WHY will you pay $5.00 for a stiff brim hat when you can buy the best qualities and latest styles at from $3.00 to $3.50 at B. Stine's. dtf

HAVE your measures taken for the celebrated Wilson Bros. Shirt at B. Stine's.

BYCICLE Suits, a specialty, at Cheap Charley's. d&wtf

NORFOLK coats cheap at Cheap Charley's. a17dtf

NOVELTIES in Tourists' Coats at B. Stine's. dtf

PAINTERS' white Overalls, 50c a pair, at B. Stine's. dtf

A FINE line of children's Suits at Cheap Charley's. d&wtf

The Growth of Evening Papers.

The following is well worth perusal by every business man who cares to put his money for advertising where it will do the most good. It is from the New York *Mail and Express:*

The people are reading evening newspapers much more than formerly, and the growth of evening journalism has been very rapid during recent years. It is not very long since it was thought that a journal published by daylight could be great neither in circulation nor in advertising patronage, but the notion has now departed from the minds of intelligent persons.

Comparisons in our own city might seem invidious, but the rank of the *Pall Mall Gazette* in London and of the *Evening Herald* in Boston, not to mention a long list of other conspicuously successful evening contemporaries, is sufficient to attest the power of the evening press. The morning daily is hurriedly inspected at the breakfast table, or in the elevated railway train, and is then flung aside and forgotten in the turmoil of business hours; but when the weary workers turn their faces homeward after the toil of the day is done they take with them the evening newspaper to interest and instruct each member of the family circle at home, as well as to beguile their thoughts during their ride.

Not only are evening newspapers very widely circulated, but they are very thoroughly read, and the appreciation of these facts by advertisers is evident from the increasing patronage given by them to journals of that class. For certain kinds of advertisements, and especially for such as relate to the household and its needs, the columns of evening journals have a peculiar value, and the recognition of this efficiency as a medium between buyer and seller has been one of the most important factors in the rapid development of evening journalism.

"TURN the rascals out," and the President found one Mullen, of Cincinnati, in jail for imprisoning 100 inoffensive colored men and preventing them from voting, and he executed the order with neatness and dispatch and turned him out with a "Bless you my boy, go and do some more likewise." That is a case where a rascal was turned out who who was not "an inoffensive partisan."

THE people of Marseilles, after wreck and ruin has come to them, have finally voted $20,000 to cleanse the city. They would have made money and saved thousands of lives if they had six months ago expended $1,000,000 for that purpose.

—He saw her glide adown the beach
Clad in her bathing dress,
And vowed he never saw a sight
Of rarer loveliness.

She frolicked in the surf awhile,
And when she came ashore,
The vow that he at first had made
He made, ah, nevermore!
—*Saturday Evening Gazette.*

—According to the traditions of the Jewish rabbis there was no physical illness among men before the flood.

—Harry McCarthy, known as the Arkansas comedian, was an upholsterer before he went on the stage. He is the author of the "Bonnie Blue Flag."

The Blue Grass Shop,

West William street, near North Main, makes a specialty of repairing, painting, trimming, carriage and wagon woodwork. Have with me C. A. Masterson, (formerly Kit Carson), who presides over the smith shop and makes a specialty of shoeing, carriage and wagon work. With this and the motto, "Good work, or no charge," we ask a trial. J. R. McLEAN.
july29-d&w1m C. A. MASTERSON.

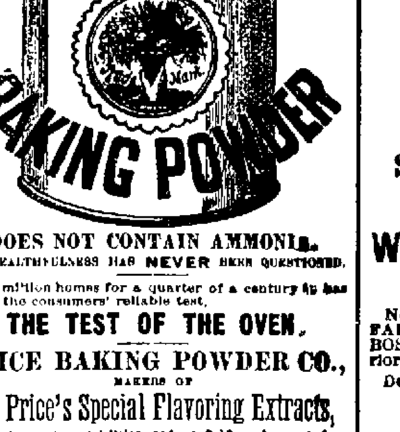
TRY and read Cheap Charley's advertisement. 7-dawtf

TEST YOUR BAKING POWDER TO-DAY!

Brands advertised as absolutely pure
CONTAIN AMMONIA.

THE TEST:

Place a can top down on a hot stove until heated, then remove the cover and smell. A chemist will not be required to detect the presence of ammonia.



DOES NOT CONTAIN AMMONIA.
ITS HEALTHFULNESS HAS NEVER BEEN QUESTIONED.

In a million homes for a quarter of a century it has stood the consumers' reliable test.

THE TEST OF THE OVEN.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.,
MAKERS OF
Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts,
The strongest, most delicious and natural flavor known, and
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For Light, Healthy Bread, The Best Dry Hop Yeast in the World.

FOR SALE BY GROCERS.
CHICAGO. - ST. LOUIS.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court, to the September Term, A. D. 1885.

William A. Barnes, as Executor of the last Will and Testament of Eliza Sawyer, deceased, vs.

John Sawyer, Edward Sawyer, Thomas J. Sawyer, Sarah J. Young, Eleanor Barnes, William Barnes, Mary Barnes, Mary Rea Hamilton, James Burt Hamilton, Bessie Hamilton, Thomas S. Lark, William Lark, and Susan C. Clokey—In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Thomas J. Sawyer, Sarah J. Young, Mary Rea Hamilton, James Burt Hamilton, Bessie Hamilton and Thomas S. Lark, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court of Macon Co., notice is hereby given to the said Thomas J. Sawyer, Sarah J. Young, Mary Rea Hamilton, James Burt Hamilton, Bessie Hamilton and Thomas S. Lark, that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the Chancery side thereof, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1885, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the FOURTH MONDAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1885, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Thomas J. Sawyer, Sarah J. Young, Mary Rea Hamilton, James Burt Hamilton, Bessie Hamilton and Thomas S. Lark, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1885, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING, Sols. for Compl't,
aug18-d4w

REMNANT SALE

—OF—

Worsted Dress Goods,

Silks, Satins and Velvets,

—AT—

BRADLEY BROS.'

Popular New York Store,

These goods have been taken in stock at 20 cents on the dollar, and will be offered Monday morning, Aug. 10, at about one-fourth their regular value on the following lots:

Lot No. 1. Lace Bunting at 5c per yard.
" 2. All Wool Buntings at 8¾c per yard.
" 3. Single and double fold Serges and Cashmeres at 15c per yard
" 4. Double fold Cashmeres at 19c per yard.
" 5. 40 inch Cashmeres and Brocades at 25c.
" 6. Silks and Satins at 39c per yard.
" 7. Fine French Suitings, Brocaded Silks and Velvets at 49c.
" 8. Combination Suitings, in new shades, worth $1.25, to be closed out at 69c per yard.

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Popular New York Store,

Park Institute For Young Ladies and Children, 103 and 105 Ashland Avenue, Chicago, Ill. The recognized Wellesley College Preparatory School. Offers unsurpassed advantages in all departments. 11th year begins September 16. Catalogues on application. Mrs. ALICE E. BATES, Principal. aug8d1m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of two executions to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of Morris Cohnert, and one in favor of L. S. Eusel, and both against John Carroll I have levied upon the following described property to wit: The undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest of lots Nos. four (4), and five (5), in block No three (3), in Henry Prather's Addition to the City of Decatur; also, the south thirty (30) feet of lot No. seven (7), in block No. ten (10) in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the Town now City of Decatur, all in Macon county, Illinois; taken as property of said John Carroll, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1885, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 17th day of August, A. D. 1885.
WM. W. FOSTER,
aug17-dtd Sheriff Macon county Ills.

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July 21-d&wto Oct. 10*

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No 44, Atlantic Express..........11:45 a. m
" 42, Lightning Express..........10:45 p. m
" 48, Accommodation arrives......7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East..........7:30 a. m
Going " ....5:00 p. m

GOING WEST.

No. 43, Fast Line..........4:15 a. m
" 45, ...3:40 p. m
" 57, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:45 a. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west..........12:30 p. m
Going " ....10:45 a. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 24th, 1885, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 2, Chicago Express..........12:20 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express..........12:05 noon

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........3:55 a. m
" 5, St. Louis Mail..........3:10 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 3, St. Louis Express..........4:05 a. m
" 43, Fast Line,..........2:35 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail..........3:30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 2, Chicago Express..........12:05 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express..........11:59 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express..........10:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West..........6:00 a. m
Arrive from West..........6:30 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, Tickets and any particular information, call on

K. HARWOOD, Agent W. St. L. & P. R. R.
JAS. SMITH, F. CHANDLER,
Gen. Traffic Man'gr. Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Louis.

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East..........10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign..........1:50 p. m

W. S. OTWELL, Ag't at Decatur.

NEW THROUGH LINE EAST.

On and after Sunday, May 10th, trains via I., D. & S. R'y will leave Decatur at 11:50 a. m. and 10:50 p. m. Both trains connect at Indianapolis with all lines for the East. The 10:50 p. m. train will have Pullman Sleeping Cars from Decatur through to Columbus, Ohio, via Pan Handle route, arriving at Columbus at 11 10 next morning. This train will also have a Reclining Chair Car from Decatur to Cincinnati, without change, arriving at Cincinnati at 8 a. m. Tickets, Berths and Reclining Chairs can be secured at Illinois Central office in depot.

H. W. SHIMER, Ticket Agent
Or at City Office, 127 Prairie St., opposite P. O.
C. W. TYNER, General Agent.
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General Passenger Agent.

May 7—dtf

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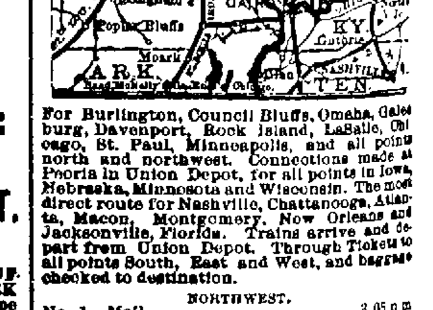

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NORTHWEST.

No. 1. Mail..........3.05 p m
" 5. Express..........4:10 a m
" 3. Mixed..........6 40 a m
" 13. Freight..........10:20 a m

SOUTHEAST.

No. 2. Mail..........10:40 a m
" 6. Express..........10 40 p m
" 4. Mixed..........10:05 p m
" 14. Freight..........1.55 p m

Nos. 5 and 6 daily between Decatur and Peoria.

For maps, bills, time, rates and other information, call on or address

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EAST.

No. 2. Mail..........11 35 a m
" 4. Columbus & Cincinnati Exp..10:50 p m
" 12. Freight..........6:30 a m
" 14 Freight..........6.30 p m

ARRIVE FROM EAST.

No. 1. Mail..........2:45 p m
" 3. Express..........4:00 a m
" 11. Freight..........8.00 p m
" 13. Freight..........9.00 a m

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Pullman Sleepers to Dubuque and intermediate points. Through Sleeper to New Orleans every Tuesday.

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Texas and New Orleans Exp., leave..5:46 p m
St. Louis and Cairo Fast Mail " ..10:13 a m
Accommodation south " ..10:16 a m
Dubuque and Sioux City Exp. " ..12:13 a m
Chicago and St. Paul Mail " ..7:40 a m
Accommodation north " ..2:50 p m
Local freight south " ..8:45 a m
" " north " ..4:35 p m

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